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Resolution adopted by the General Assembly

[on the report of the Fifth Committee (A/55/888/Add. 1)]

55/259. Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services

The General Assembly,

Having considered the following documents:

(a) Annual report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services for the period from 1 July 1995 to 30 June 1996,¹

(b) Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the comments of the Joint Inspection Unit on the final reports produced by the Office of Internal Oversight Services,²

(c) Annual report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services for the period from 1 July 1996 to 30 June 1997,³

(d) Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the comments of the Joint Inspection Unit on the final reports produced by the Office of Internal Oversight Services,⁴

(e) Annual report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services for the period from 1 July 1997 to 30 June 1998,⁵

(f) Annual report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services for the period from 1 July 1998 to 30 June 1999,⁶

(g) Report of the Secretary-General on the rules and procedures to be applied for the investigation functions performed by the Office of Internal Oversight Services,⁷

1. *Requests* the Secretary-General to ensure that future reports of the Office of Internal Oversight Services are in accordance with the provisions of General Assembly resolutions 48/218 B of 29 July 1994 and 54/244 of 23 December 1999 and the relevant provisions of the Charter of the United Nations and the rules of procedure of the General Assembly;

¹ See A/51/432.

² See A/51/530 and Corr.1.

³ See A/52/426.

⁴ See A/52/464.

⁵ See A/53/428.

⁶ See A/54/393.

⁷ See A/55/469.

2. *Decides* to defer until its fifty-sixth session consideration of the updated version of the report of the Secretary-General on enhancing the internal oversight mechanisms in operational funds and programmes,⁸ and requests the Secretary-General to seek updated views from the funds and programmes on this report and to transmit them to the General Assembly during the main part of its fifty-sixth session;

3. *Also decides* to defer until its fifty-sixth session consideration of the sixth annual report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services, covering activities for the period from 1 July 1999 to 30 June 2000⁹.

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14 June 2001*

⁸ A/55/826 and Corr.1.

⁹ See A/55/436.